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2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 12,14 and 15.			
3. \square Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority un	nder 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).		·
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DETAILED ACTION

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1. Claims 12,14 and 15 are allowed.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Felix Fischer on June 6, 2007.

The application has been amended as follows:

a) As to claim 14, insert status identifier – (original) --.

Allowable Subject Matter

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

With regards to independent **claim 15**, the prior art does not specifically disclose or suggest a emergency response data coordination and communication system comprises an automated weather station having means for wind speed and direction sensing connected to the computer terminal, and a transmitter for transmitting wind speed and direction, a GIS application server including means for adjusting plume geometry dependent on the wind speed and direction.

With regards to dependent claims 12 and 14, they are allowable based on the dependency of claim 15.

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Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

- 4. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.
 - a. Quick (U.S. 2001/0056435) "Data access system and method"
- b. Orr et al. (U.S. 5,815,417) "Method for acquiring and presenting data relevant to an emergency incident"
 - c. Alexander et al. (U.S. 6,574,561) "Emergency management system"
- d. Jones (U.S. 2002/0069312) "System and method for the storage, management and sharing of spatial –temporal based information"
- 5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Hoi C. Lau whose telephone number is (571)272-8547. The examiner can normally be reached on M- F 8:30am 5:00pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Jeffrey Hofsass can be reached on (571)272-2981. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (571)273-8300.

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